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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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13 DEBORAH GETZ, et al.,

14 Plaintiffs,

15 v.

16 THE BOEING COMPANY, et al.,

17 Defendants.  
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Case No. CV 07-06396 CW

**APPLICATION TO EXCUSE LEAD  
TRIAL COUNSEL'S  
ATTENDANCE AT INITIAL CASE  
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE**

Date: April 1, 2008

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Courtroom: 2

Judge: Hon. Claudia Wilkin

1 Defendant Honeywell International Inc. ("Honeywell") hereby applies for an Order  
2 excusing attendance of its lead trial counsel, James W. Huston, from attending the initial Case  
3 Management Conference, pursuant to Civil L.R. 16-10. The application is necessary due to an  
4 unavoidable scheduling conflict, as shown by the attached declaration. Mr. Huston will be  
5 traveling in London at the time of the Case Management Conference, and therefore will not be  
6 able to attend. Another partner from Morrison & Foerster, the firm of record for Honeywell, Erin  
7 Bosman, who is fully familiar with the action, will attend the Conference in lieu of Mr. Huston.

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9 Dated: March 26, 2008

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10 By: /s/ Joanna E. Herman

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11 Attorneys for Defendant

12 HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL INC.

13 ORDER

14 IT IS SO ORDERED.

15 Dated:

16 U.S. District Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Joanna E. Herman, hereby certify that on March 26, 2008, I caused to be electronically filed a true and correct copy of the attached APPLICATION TO EXCUSE LEAD TRIAL COUNSEL'S ATTENDANCE AT INITIAL CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE with the Clerk of the Court using CM/ECF, which will send notification that such filing is available for viewing and downloading to the following counsel of record for Plaintiffs:

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